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Applicant: Eugene R. Cooper et al.

Title: NANOPARTICULATE MELOXICAM

FORMULATIONS

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner in the Final Office Action dated 09/20/2007, and in the Advisory Action dated 02/14/2008, finally rejecting Claims 1-72.

[]	Applicant claims small entity status.	
[X]	Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of tirtotal number of months checked below:	ne under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the
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	[]Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)	92 FC:1252 340.00 OP

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The required fees are calculated below:

[X]	Notice of Appeal Fee	\$510.00
[X]	Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$460.00
[X]	Extension Already Obtained for first month:	\$120.00
	FEE TOTAL:	\$850.00
[]	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):	\$0.00
	TOTAL FEE:	\$850.00

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 41.20, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment form being unsigned, providing incorrect information resulting in a rejected credit card transaction, or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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Respectfully submitted,

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